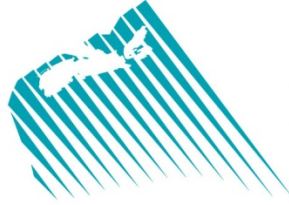


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## Chief Safety Officer Decision

Decision Date: 21 February 2018  
Applicant: Seadrill Canada Ltd.  
Reference: WAQ-NS-RQ03c (Rev 0) – Electrical Standards  
Project: BP-Offshore Nova Scotia 2018  
Installation Name: West Aquarius  
Authority: Canada-Nova Scotia Offshore Petroleum Resources Accord Implementation Act (Federal version), Section 155(1)(a).  
Regulation: Nova Scotia Offshore Petroleum Installations Regulations, Sections 11(1) and 11(2)(b)

### Decision:

Seadrill Canada Ltd. has requested a deviation from Sections 11(1) and 11(2)(b), requiring electrical wiring and equipment arrangements to be designed, installed and maintained in accordance with a specified American Petroleum Institute (API) recommended practice, and with electrical wiring subject to testing in accordance with a specified CSA standard.

Acceptance of the deviation is based on the rationale that electrical equipment for the West Aquarius is designed, installed and tested in accordance with 1989 IMO MODU Code, applicable DNV reference documents, and International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) standards.

The Certifying Authority concurs that the proposal meets the requirements of Certificate of Fitness Regulations Section 4(2)(a)(ii).

The Chief Safety Officer hereby grants a deviation from the Installation Regulations, Sections 11(1) and 11(2)(b), and is satisfied that these arrangements provide an equivalent level of safety to that provided by the Regulations.

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Chief Safety Officer